

# DOMINANT FIGURES IN ELECTRIC MERGER, NOW UNDERGOING GOVERNMENT INQUIRY



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SENATOR CRANE  
OF MASSACHUSETTS

Washington, Nov. 29.—It is asserted here that if the department of justice, which is now investigating the so-called electric trust, is unable to carry the inquiry to a satisfactory conclusion either the Senate or House of Representatives will take the matter up. Indeed, there is talk among the Democrats and "insurgent" Republicans of launching an inquiry into the affairs of the General Electric Company and the merger of the telephone and telegraph companies of the country. The story that an effort was made to quiet an electric trust investigation just prior to the Presidential election by an offer of a large sum of money to the campaign fund of the Republican party caused a sensation here. According to the story that being discussed here, President Roosevelt was indignant at the offer and ordered the inquiry to proceed. W. Murray Crane, Junior Senator from Massachusetts, is the largest single stockholder in the American Telephone and Telegraph Company. He is said to be a director in the Western Electric Company and a heavy stockholder in the General Electric Company, the affiliation of

which with the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company is being attacked by the department of justice. Two directors of the Telephone and Telegraph Company besides Mr. Crane occupy similar positions in the General Electric Company. They are T. Jefferson Coolidge and H. H. Schenck.

New York. Mr. Crane and four of his associates on the board of the telephone company are in the directorate of the Western Electric. They are H. S. Howe, Theodore N. Vail, S. L. Schenck and John L. Waterbury. Mr. Schenck is a director of the General Electric also.

## UNIQUE "SOUND-KILLER"

Made of Hollow Terra Cotta Blocks, Stuffed With Mineral Wool.

New York, Nov. 29.—For the first time in the history of the city of New York, plans for a "sound-killer" have been filed with the Building department. The type of construction is absolutely new. It was made necessary by the distress which the guests of a hotel suffered from the noise of printing presses in the adjoining building.

The Hotel Roland is at 54 East 59th street. The presses on the first floor of the next building have been disturbing the management and guests for a long time. Finally it was decided to build a wall in the intervening court to keep out the sound.

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The fireproof terra cotta blocks used in walls and floors are known to be good absorbers of sound waves, but no practical test of this nature has been made before.

See the Signatures of *Charles H. W. Reynolds* and *John B. Reynolds*.

Slaves that Die Like Flies in Mexico

The December American Magazine contains the third article by John Kenneth Turner on "Barbarous Mexico." It is a most appalling record of the personal experience of the author in visiting the Valle Nacional, which is probably the worst slave hole in the world. As the Christmas season of peace on earth, good will to all men approaches, it is well that people should realize in the midst of their own good cheer that no farther away than the heart of Mexico, our neighboring republic, such atrocities as Mr. Turner describes are continuing, not only winked at, but fostered by an inhumane government. Part of Mr. Turner's article is as follows:

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FOR WASHINGTON, via Harlem River—12:30 (daily) A. M.; 1:13 P. M.

FOR NEW HAVEN—12:32, 1:41, 6:50, 7:58, 8:21, 9:23, 10:43, 11:33 A. M.—12:16, 1:30, 1:50, 2:29, 3:46, 4:25, 4:57, 5:37, 6:20, 6:54, 7:10, 7:32, 8:41, 11:54 P. M.—SUNDAYS—12:32, 1:41, 8:18, 9:45, 10:43, 11:33 A. M.—12:30, 2:22, 2:27, 4:13, 5:07, 6:27, 7:45, 7:52, 8:11, 8:26, 8:52 P. M.

FOR BOSTON, via New London and Providence—1:41, 6:50, 7:58, 8:21, 9:23, 10:43, 11:33 A. M.—12:16, 1:30, 1:50, 2:29, 3:46, 4:25, 4:57, 5:37, 6:20, 6:54, 7:10, 7:32, 8:41, 11:54 P. M.—SUNDAYS—1:41, 6:50, 7:58, 8:21, 9:23, 10:43, 11:33 A. M.—12:16, 1:30, 1:50, 2:29, 3:46, 4:25, 4:57, 5:37, 6:20, 6:54, 7:10, 7:32, 8:41, 11:54 P. M.

FOR BOSTON, via Hartford and Willimantic—8:31 A. M.—8:39 P. M.

FOR WINSTED and Intermediate Stations—6:00, 7:00, 9:25, 11:40 A. M.—2:25, 3:51, 7:40 P. M.—SUNDAYS—8:30 A. M.—6:45 P. M.

FOR WATERBURY, ANSONIA, DERBY and Intermediate Stations—6:00, 7:00, 9:25, 11:40 A. M.—2:25, 3:51, 7:40 P. M.—SUNDAYS—8:30, 10:50 A. M.—6:45, 8:50 P. M.

FOR ST. BARRINGTON, LENOX, PITTSFIELD, ETC.—7:00, 8:50 A. M.—4:33 P. M.—SUNDAYS—8:30 A. M.—6:45 P. M.

FOR DANBURY, NEW MILFORD, ETC., via Brookfield Junction—7:00, 9:50 A. M.—4:33, 6:38 P. M.—SUNDAYS—8:30, 10:50 A. M.—6:45 P. M.

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